



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
	Lynn Y. Shimada)
Serial No.:	09/345,820)) Art Unit) 3624
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For:	METHOD AND SOFTWARE ARTICLE FOR SELECTING ELECTRONIC PAYMNET OF VENDORS IN AN AUTOMATED PAYMENT ENVIRONMENT))))
Examiner:	Ella Colbert)

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.111 please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows: